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MONTEZUMA

X-mas with Neah Stafford and family. Leo Preston, of Akron, O., is spending his vacation with his parents W. A Preston and family.

Gladys Preston, of Bradford is spend-

ing a few days at this place. James Gehron is spending a few days at Geneva. Ind. Z. T. Long and family spent Christmas with Wm, Roush and wife.

Miss Ethel Long spent Christmas with L. T. Arthur and family. Mrs. Earl Smith spent Sunday after-

moon with Ethel Long. Ward Preston and family, Frank Colson ad family, Wm. Colson spent Christmas wish Maggle Colson and son, James. Charles Cencebaugh and family, of Bradford, Mrs. Mary Stafford, Mr. and Mrs. William Kittle, Oscar Stafford and Delmar Grunden took supper with Noah Stafford and family, Tuesdy evening.

Fae Servis of Celina, spent Tuesday at Mr. and Mrs. C. W. ecker, of Coldwater, spent Christmas with W. A. Lacy and

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Johnson, Paul Monday Johnson, Mabel Harrison and James Wills spent Christmas with Eather and Helen Johnson.

The friends of Mr. James Wills and Helen Johnson gathered at the Johnson home Wednesday night and gave them a surprise. The evening was spent in games and music after which refreshments were served to the guests.

The following bills were allowed by the Commissioners last Friday and are nov

J. B. Haslinger, services in criminal cases where state fails to con-

J. B. Haslinger, stamps... E. H. Sell & Co., supplies for county treasurer ... John Romer, expense account ... Wm. Wiley, same.... Sam Evans, asst. eng. ...

Wm. Weaver, labor unloading sewer 5 25 Ed Palmer and wife to Forest and Ray George Hill, account of ditch service 3 00 Palmer, part of land in Franklin town-John Now, same... 12 00 ship, 31.

C. Bowser, labor on grader..... 4 00 decid ordered. H. M. Winkeljohn, pike supt. . . . 55 90 man, filed partial account. For hearing H. M. Winkeljonn, pike supries. 21 05 January 31. A. W. Shelrenbeck, crushed stone .. 103 30

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Cool weather at this writing Quite a few people aftended the nerial shifting at Cellian, Saturday. The shooting match which was held are Enturday was well attended. Aug. Sukamp and C. H. Wroger transcted l'asiness at Chisago, Saturday and

Will Gross and Wess Welfman were Ce na viction Paturday

John Kroser and John Bonnolt wer offmarvisitors Suturday. Joe Bieln was a Colina visitor, Satur

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hys with his parents of this place Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ordenskult, o Juston, are visiting the latter's parents olin Bombelt and family at this writing. Mbor) oretta that, of Dayton and best policy. of Verseiller spent Christman with the former's parents of this place. Miss Thereia Frenzer and Pornadine Donaten, of Dayton, visited their parents

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Raphed Dereton, of Dayton, spon bristmas with his father of this place. Nichania and wife were Celine

William S, Hickornell to John W. Hagman, part of land in Union township,

Charles R. Taylor to Fiora Taylor, part f hand in Jefferson township, \$3,000, Wm. Schroyer in George Schroyer, part M. Newcomb to Albert Betzel, 60 feet n south and of lot 101, Colina, \$180. hand in Washington township, \$1. Joseph Revin to Selminian Frahm, part land in Graville township, \$1,000.

and in Dublin Dywnoling II. George Osterfold to Honey Steinbrunne II. Smill later to D. Overholt, outlot 18,

Broad Trenary, t'le across road. .. 8 00 sale of real estate. Sale confirmed and Sarah Dictrick, guardian of Elsio Her-

> record the last will and testament of Geo. H. Potterff decensed. For hearing Decomber 25.

......... **BUNCHED PARAGRAPHS**

..................... Mrs. Adelaide Bongiovaani, who was injured in the Pittsburgh streetcar accident, died in a hospital, bringing the total dead to 20. Mrs. Bonglovanni was the wife of a leading restaurant owner of Pittsburgh.

Thomas E. Campbell turned over the governorship of Arisona to Governor George W. P. Hunt in obedi ence to the mandate of the supreme court of the state, which found that Governor Hunt was the legally elected governor by a plurality of 43 votes. New Hampshire supreme court refused a new trial to Frederick L. Small, formerly a Boston broker, awaiting execution on Jan, 15 for the murder of his wife, Mrs. Florence A. Small, at their home near Lake Ossipee, N. H., Sept. 28, 1916.

Vilhjalmar Stefanssen, the Arc tic explorer, has arrived with his party at Fort Yukon. Stefanssen, head of the Canadian expedition, has been in the far north since 1913.

Ravages of the cotton boll weevil have become so damaging that the production of long staple cotton in the United States is imperiled, officials of the department of agriculture announced.

eran, was killed at Columbus when struck by a streetoar. German scientists have made the discovery that edible earth exists in

David Kenney, 75, Civil war vet-

many parts of Germany. Contract for widening the Scioto pany of Omaha, Neb.

French chamber of deputies adopted a resolution extending the terms of all elective officials in France un-

will be held in the meantime. The Associated Press gave every one of its employes, including those who have entered the military ser- ed over the arrival of a bouncing little and family. The evening was spent in vice of the country, a Christmas pres- baby boy. ent in the form of a \$1,000 insurance

Edward L. Trudeau tuberculosis sanitarium, named in honor of the famous American specialist of French descent, has been opened in Paris. The first patients were refugee women and children.

More than 1,000,000 pounds of Christmas packages were forwarded tended by the people of the district and by parcel post to soldiers of the American expeditionary forces in

Forty-five Chinamen, expelled from Austria on account of China's declaration of war against that country, arrived at Berne, Switzerland, on their way to Paris.

William R. Willcox, chairman of the Republican national committee, issued a call for a meeting of the committee in St. Louis Feb. 12, at which a chairman will be elected.

Charles H. Feige was shot and killed by United States army patrols when he attempted to cross the river to Mexico at El Paso, Tex. Feige, it is believed, was a German spy.

Henry Dodge Estabrook, widely

known as an attorney and formerly general solicitor for the Western Union Telegraph company, died suddenly in a motion picture theater at Tarrytown, N. Y.

William J. Flynn resigned as chief of the United States secret service. His skull was fractured and both legs He leaves the office Dec. 31. Burglars broke into Shannon's silk lance on the way to the hospital.

store at Cleveland and stole hundreds of bolts of silk, valued at \$10,000. Loans aggregating \$29,824,000 have been made to farmers by the 12 federal land banks in the six months since the farm loan system has been

in full operation. American soldiers in France soon will receive a shipment of 200,000 eral assembly during the mineties. Missouri apples, the gift of produce

dealers of St. Louis A contribution of \$50,000 to the re lief fund has been received at Halifax from Hongkong, China. British Guiana has voted \$5,000.

A cargo of Australian wool, valued at \$7,000,000 has reached Boston. It is the first lot to be released by the British government since last spring. Forty white workmen at the plant of the Federal Lead company, at Alton, Ill., were held up and robbed by five armed negroes as they were leaving work.

Thirteen soldiers were injured in a collision between electric cars about 10 miles from Baltimore. Major General John F. Morrison

recently back from an inspection tour in France, was named director of military training. David Goldman, machinist's mate

in the navy, has been commended by Secretary Daniels for gallantry in having rescued Arthur & Palmer, water tender, from drowning. Rev. "Billy" Sunday's son George is now a lieutenant in the aviation

COTDS. Area sown to wheat in Ohio this fall is 2,145,000 acres, as against 1,950,000 acres last fall.

Queenstown, Ireland, was swept by a northwest gale. St. Colman's cathedral and other buildings were damaged and many persons injured in the

Eric Campbell, co-star with Charley Chaplin in many of the Chaplin moving pictures. was instantly killed at Los Angeles, and three others, one an actress, seriously injured, when Campbell's touring car collided with another machine.

There are 25,879 jackies at the naval training station at Great Lakes, Ill., the largest number ever gathered under a single command for instruc-

At Gary, Ind., an unidentified negro was shot and killed and Mike Binzen, a salconkeeper, was seriously wounded by four motor bandits. who escaped with \$10,000 which tha men were carrying from a bank.

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A happy and prosperous New Year to

Anthony Fortkamp and Ferdinand river at Columbus has been awarded Hartings are spenning their Christmas to the Callahan Construction com- vacation with the Ben Knapke family at Mrs. Kaiser and children from St. Hen.

ry spent a few days with the August Lengerich family last week. The students from St. Rosa that are

Collegeville, Ind, are spending their Huntington. Christmas vacation at home. The Frank Bergman family are delight-

Many people from here were business visitors at Celina the past week to pay heir taxes and many registrants to hand John Stucke ar, and Fred Stucke were

usness visitors at Maria Stein last Sat-The children of the Dwenger school gave a Christinas program at the school house last Monday, which was well at-

neighforing districts.

One Killed; Nine injured. Canton, O., Dec. 27 .- Frank Ryan, 19, passenger, was killed; Charles Dobson, 45, yard conductor, had both legs out off, and Carl Fischer, conductor, was seriously injured in a

wreck between two electric cars. Ave

Selects to Go to France. clerks in the offices of artillery and infantry commanders at Camp Sherman were assigned to General Per shing's army headquarters in France

and ordered to a pert of ambarkation. All 50 volunteered to go "over there." Struck by Train. Columbus, Dec. 26 .- A man believed to be Dave Smith of Springfield, O., was killed when he was struck by a train in the railroad yards here.

were cut off. He died in an ambu-

Aged Ex-Solon Dead. Marion, O., Dec. 22.-Former Republican Representative J. L. Hensley is dead. He was \$2 years old, a physician and minister of the United Brethren church. Dr. Hensley served in the lower house of the Ohio gen-

Disastrous Fire. Malvern, O., Dec. 27 .- Fire destroy ed the plant of the Whitacre-Greer Fireproofing company here, at an estimated loss of \$200,000. One hunfor the government.

SMITHVILLE

with his brother at Lima. friends at this place. Liddle and Mary Hoel took dinner with

Alfred and Liddle Smith, Mary Hoel spent Monday night with Clyde Kincaid games and popcorn and candy was served. The following spent Sunday with Geo. Smith: Clyde Kincaid and family, Cleve Smith and family, Andy Smith, Mrs. Ed Freewalt and children, Mary Hoel, Ross Smith, Alfred Smith, of Chillicothe, ley and Florence Martz, Alfred Smith, Burk, Steve Garman and son, George, Herbert Smith and family spent Christ as with F. D. Smith and family.

The following people who spent Christnas with Geo, J. Smith and family sureon some of the boys went to the woods

Ohio Soldier Found Dead.

Quite Food Board.

Cleveland, Dec. 24 .- J. Wayne Hart resigned as chairman of the coanty food administration committee and Mayor Harry L. Davis was elected chairman to succeed Hart.

dred and fifty men are employed at by a Chicago-Columbus fiver on the the plant making fireproof supplies Big Four railroad six miles east of this city.

Edward Freewalt is spending this week

Alfred Smith of Camp Sherman is spending this week with his parents and Alfred Smth of Chillicothe and Sister

Mr. and Mrs. Ballinger, Monday. Mrs Fred Freewalt and daughter, Ruth til the end of the war. No elections attending the St. Joseph's College at are spending this week with her aunt at

> Andy Baugher and family spent Sunday wth A. J. Smith.

ly had a grand day. Mr. Smith's son was home from Camp Sherman. In the afterand fetdhed in three big Opossoms and then some special music was rendered by John Yuranum, of Constanople and all or 50 people, Tuesday evening to a large surly enjoyed the day. Following are crowd. The hall was packed to its fullwere injured. Seven ethers those that were present: Rev. F. H. Snavely and wife, Clyde Kincaid and Snavely and wife, Clyde Kincaid and Prof. Lutz's room of the Grammar family, Cleve Smith and family, Dave grades gave a good Christmas program Freeman and family, Andy Smith and Chillicothe, O., Dec. 27. - Fifty family, Mrs. Ed Freewalt and chi.-ren, A. J. Smith and wife, Mary Hoel, Liddle Smith, Alfred Smith of Camp Sherman.

> Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 34.-C. L. Hoppel, Logan, O., was found dead in bed. He returned to camp Sunday night after attending his father's funeral at Logan. He was cook in Company G, One Hundred and Forty eighth infantry.

New Trainmaster.

ent W. J. English of the Erie rail- this place. road announced the appointment of C. P. Shaughnessy of Huntington. Ind., as trainmaster of the Kent divi sion, with headquarters at Manafield

Youths Killed by Flyer. Trey, O., Dec. 27.—Gorseth Kerr, 22, and Kenneth Mote, 12, were killed

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Primary Sup't-Dora Lewis. Asa't Primary Sup't .- Mary Lewis. Organist-Bernice Lewis. Chorister-Ralph Turner. Librarians-Doris Harruc, Mabel Nolai

ained friends an drelatives from out of own for Christmas dinner Harry Shimp is working at the Holsting actory at St. Marya. The children of the school are enjoying

Several families of the village enter-

he Christmas vacation. The Cantatta "Santa's Atuo Sleigh" was well rendered by the company of ovest capacity,

Friday afternoon. Mrs. C. F. Lutz has returned from Cleveland, where she has been ill for sev eral weeks. She is recovering slowly and her friends are wishing her speedy re-

John Pierce is home for a few days eave of absence. His friends were glad o see him looking so good.

DURBIN

Protracted meeting is in progress at Mt. Carmel. Mrs. Elza Laffin and children are Marion, O., Dec. 24 .- Superintend- spending this week with her parents at

> ompany Christmas. Grandma Rhoades and granddaughter George Helmer, Mrs. Ell Bricker, John Sricker and wife took dinner with eGorge

Mark McDonald and family entertained

Cester and family, Monday. Mrs. Helmer, Mrs. Bricker, Mrs. Stoner, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Hiley called on Rev. navelf and wife, Sunday evening. Miss Bessie Jackson spent Sunday with

tessie Fetters Henry Hole spent Christmas at home. le is working at Piqua. A happy new year to all.

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A very green Chrstmas in 1917. Virge Dixon and family, of Celina, spent Christmas with Samuel Dixon and fam-

Ray Wilson and famly and Miss Madonna Wilson, of Piqua, visited relatives over thristmas.

Frank Meyers, one of our soldier boys rom Camp Sherman spent Christmas with his parents here and called on other relatives, also Floyd Felver of the same amp. Both boys were looking fine. Steve Wilson and family spent Satur-

day evening with John Davis and family. Russel Jenkins, Loyd Canary, John Davis and family, of the place spent Monday afternoon at the Landfair school of which Miss Zedna Boise is teacher. Three Santa Claus' gave the pupils their treat and the visitors listened to a very interesting program whch was prepared by the pupils and their teacher.

Coe Wilson and wife spent Christmas with John Davis and family. Miss Anna Andrews spent a day with Steve Slebert and family. Sammy Dixon, jr. called on Lowell S'e-

Steve Wilson and family, Vern Chap-

ert Christmas morning.

nan and wife spent Christmas with Mrs. Mary Fast. Steve Smith and wife and Master Geo. pent Sunday with Geo. Smith and family. An excellent talk on the Red Cross organzation was given at Mt. Carmel Sunday evening by Attorney Kenney and oth-

rs of Celina. Cincinnati Dally Post and The Demo-rat, both one year, \$3.50.

The following were the quetations for grain, livestock, poultry and the Celina markets yesterday evening:

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Rye, per bushel... 1 00 (Furnished by L. G. McMillen) Timothy \$22 00

Mixed... 22 00 Clover ... 22 00 LIVE STUSK

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Potatoes, per bushel. 31 56

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